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WRONG MAN.

(Continued from First Page.)

our homicides and assassins we will place ourselves in a proper light before the world and can defy criticism. But the very moment we place ourselves in the attitude of protecting our criminals from punishment by public and private contributions we deserve the contempt of all civilized people. Viewing this case as I do, I can not contribute money for the purposes named in your circular letter.

Very Respectfully,
R. C. CRENSHAW.

THE GOEBEL LAW.

Col. Tom Campbell Says if He Had the Power to Make a Law it Would be Much the Same.

Col. T. C. Campbell, who is counsel for the Goebel brothers in the prosecutions growing out of the assassination of Wm. Goebel, has in the current number of Saxby's Magazine, of Cincinnati, a review of the Goebel Election Law, in which he defends the various provisions of the statute as a whole. He says:

"If I had the power to make an election law for any State, I would make it on the lines of Goebel Kentucky Election Law, providing only one change, and that is that the minority should be represented on every board. Goebel wisely provided that the precincts should have minority representation, but equal representation of both parties in county bonds here have been made the State board should have had the same provision. With that exception the Goebel law is as near a perfect Election law as can be drawn."

WAR CORRESPONDENT DEAD.

Archibald Forbes Passes Away in the British Metropolis.

London, March 30.—Archibald Forbes, the well-known war correspondent, died in this city during the night. He had been in bad health for some years, and during the last six months had been unable to write or do anything, owing to the complications arising from rheumatism and paralysis. He spent most of his time at his home in London.

His wife was a Miss Meigs, daughter of the late Quartermaster General of the United States, Gen. Meigs.

Judge Pratt Not Caught.

It seems that they are about to get damaging evidence against every republican state official with the exception of Judge Pratt. The Judge is an old fox and was not to be caught in any mountain trap.—Hustler.

Tallow Dick Combs Released.

Beattyville, Ky., March 30.—"Tallow Dick" Combs was released from jail to-day on a writ of habeas corpus. He was arrested on an old capias for violating the local option law at Winchester several years ago. The court says it will be useless to try to get Combs into the hands of Franklin county officers except on a warrant for an offense committed in Franklin county.

Fairview Pensioner.

An original pension of \$8 per month has been granted Solomon Sarcine, of Fairview.

Oldest Playhouse.

The Columbia theater, the oldest playhouse in Chicago, was destroyed by fire last Friday, entailing a loss of \$200,000.

NOVELIST TO WED.

Paul Leicester Ford Wins a Brooklyn Society Woman.

New York, March 31.—Announcement is made of the engagement of Paul Leicester Ford, the novelist, and Miss Grace Kidder, a noted Brooklyn society belle. Mr. Ford was won a name in the literary field, not alone for his fiction but also for his historical productions. He is the author of "The Hon. Peter Sterling," "Janice Meredith" and "The Story of an Untold Love." He is a brother of Worthington Ford, of Boston, and of Malcolm W. Ford, the former champion all-around amateur athlete. He is classed among the wealthy authors. Miss Kidder's family live at 89 Remsen street, Brooklyn. Her debut in society was made only a few seasons ago.

DR. DUVALL DEAD.

Father Of Mrs. W. H. Forgy, Of Pembroke.

Mrs. Dr. W. H. Forgy was called to Nashville last Friday on account of the death of her father, Dr. A. S. Duvall, who died at Lawrenceburg-Tenn., where he moved several years ago from Nashville on account of poor health. Dr. Duvall was born and raised in Logan county, later he moved to Simpson county, where he lived till the close of the war. When he moved to Nashville, Tenn. He was 73 years old. The remains were interred at Mt. Olivet in the above named city.—Pembroke Review.

CASH FOR MRS. CONN.

Bill to Reimburse Trigg County Lady for Supplies.

A bill has been introduced in Congress authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay \$304 to Mrs. Mary Conn, of Rock, Trigg county, widow of John Conn, for supplies taken by United States troops during the Civil war.

BOTH HONORS

Of His Class Won by a Christian County Boy.

Mr. L. O. Trahern, of Lafayette, has won both honors of his class at Lexington College. The Lexington Leader says:

"Mr. O. L. Trahern, who received first honors in the College of Liberal Arts received first honors also in the Bible College and will deliver the valedictory to both classes. Mr. Trahern is from Lafayette, Ky. He was editor-in-chief of the Transylvania in '98."

This is the second time in the history of the college that the same man has won both honors of the graduating class in the same year.

Mr. Trahern is a brother of Mr. Elmore Trahern, of this city, and his friends here and elsewhere are justly proud of the highly distinguished record he has made as a student.

Named Wilhelmina.

A new postoffice named Wilhelmina has been established in Todd county. J. F. Craig was appointed postmaster.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

OF COD-LIVER OIL WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES

should always be kept in the house for the following reasons:

FIRST—Because, if any member of the family has a hard cold, it will cure it.

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THIRD—Because, if the father or mother is losing flesh and becoming thin and emaciated, it will build them up and give them flesh and strength.

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No household should be without it. It can be taken in summer as well as in winter.

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GREAT SUCCESS.

Erminie Repeated on Saturday Evening.

Two Most Creditable Performances and a Good Fund Realized For the Library.

The audience that greeted the first presentation of Erminie Friday night was all that the management could have expected or desired. Every seat was sold and many bought "standing room only." Even the gallery was crowded with the best people of Hopkinsville.

The cast of characters was as follows:

Erminie.....Miss Thelma Hargraves
Cerise.....Miss Nell Donaldson
Javotte.....Miss Mary Starling
Marie.....Miss Mary Soyars
Princess de Grampouneaux.....
.....Miss Sophia H. Schooler
Marquis de Pontvert.....

.....Mr. Will Starling
Eugene.....Mr. T. G. Littlehales
Viscount de Brissac.....
.....J. O. Littlehales
Chevalier de Brabazon.....

.....Mr. Wallace Kelly
Cadeaux (two).....Mr. Alf Eckles
Ravennes (two).....O. Steinhagen
Dufois.....Mr. C. O. Prowse
Simon.....Guy Starling
Capt. Delaney.....Walter Trainum
Sergeant.....Perry Newman

Chorus of Peasants:

Misses Manie Byars, Nell Wallace, Bessie Richards, Rowena Wall, Carrie Leavell, Hazel Girod, Bessie Walker, Ione Soyars, Virginia Tibbs, Bessie Waller, Net Shanklin, Lalla Dennis, Mary Soyars, Annie McPherson, Messrs. Jim Watson, Jamie McPherson, Emmett Jones, Edmund Starling, Ewell Boales, George Howell, Ellis McKee, Trabue Anderson, Robt. Fairleigh, Mann Herndon, Rollen Trice, Millard Clark, Benj. Win-tree, Miles Boyd.

Chorus of Soldiers:

Messrs. Herndon, McKee, Boales, Winfree, Newman, Anderson.

Chorus of Guests:

Messrs. Prowse, McPherson, Trainum; Misses Richards, Schooler, Tibbs, McPherson, Gary and Massie.

Orchestra:

Pianist—Miss Clara Bonte.
First Violin—Miss Lucy Starling, Mr. Fritz Follenstein.
Second Violin—Miss Florence Elgin, Mr. John Trice.
Bass Viol—Walter Ward.
Trombone—Rollen Ward.
Clarinet—Harry Lebkuecher.
Cornet—Professor Rahn.
Flutes—Dan Young, Dr. Robt. McDaniel.

The plot of the opera is in brief as follows:

The villagers of Pontvert assemble to do honor to their Lord's return, and to the betrothal of his daughter, Erminie, to the Viscount de Brissac. He, however, is set upon by thieves and is bound and robbed by them and left to his fate in the woods, while they assume his identity. After many troubles the true Viscount escapes, makes himself known, and proves to be an old sweetheart of Erminie's companion, Cerise; and as Erminie's heart had already been given to another, all ends well.

There are three acts and the play in itself is well constructed, though the music is its chief attraction.

Mrs. R. D. Woodward was the manager and organizer of the large number of local musicians necessary to present the difficult piece and to her energy, perseverance and efficiency was due the success attained.

The leading part was sustained by Miss Thelma Hargraves, whose sweet voice, rare beauty and entire self-possession all combined to make her every appearance a signal for applause.

Miss Donaldson as "Cerise," Miss Starling as "Javotte," Miss Soyars as "Marie" and Miss Schooler as "Princess de Grampouneaux," all acted and sang in a most charming style.

Alf Eckles and Oswin Steinhagen as the two thieves made "villains" who won many of the honors of the evening. They not only sang well, but their acting was characterized by the same histrionic ability that has pleased Hopkinsville audiences more than once before. Mr. Eckles

in a comedy role was a pronounced success.

Mr. Will Starling as "Marquis de Pontvert," Mr. Wallace Kelly as "Chevalier," Mr. Guy Starling as "Simon," Messrs. J. O. Littlehales, C. O. Prowse, Walter Trainum and Perry Newman all interpreted their parts well and did some most excellent acting and singing.

Mr. T. G. Littlehales in the role of "Eugene" found many opportunities to use his fine voice and his singing always delighted his hearers.

There were many good voices also in the chorus and much talent was displayed in some of the minor parts.

The opera was most creditably presented and as an evidence that the audience was thoroughly pleased the second performance Saturday evening, at which the program was repeated, drew almost as large a crowd as the first.

The proceeds the first night amounted to more than \$300. The second performance also brought in a good sum and the net proceeds to be turned over to the public library fund will amount to several hundred dollars.

ARGUMENT BEGAN.

The Last Court Now Has The Contest Case.

Roussville, Ky., April 2.—The argument in the suit for the governorship will begin this morning at 10 o'clock before the Court of Appeals in the Chancery division of the Circuit Court. Mr. Lewis McQuown and Judge W. S. Pryor will appear for the Democrats, while the Republicans will be represented by ex-Gov. W. O. Bradley and Mr. Helm Bruce. Each lawyer's speech will be limited to an hour and a half, and all the argument will be heard today. An opinion will be handed down Wednesday or Thursday.

LEG AMPUTATED.

Operation Successful and Patient Getting Along Nicely.

Last Thursday afternoon Dr. C. B. Woodsley, of Bainbridge, assisted by Dr. J. M. Dennis, of this city, amputated the left leg of Mr. Baz Holland, Mr. Holland stood the operation well and is getting along nicely.

In youth Mr. Holland had white swelling and the limb had given him so much trouble of late that he decided to have it taken off.

Road Overseers.

James E. Forbes, Pilot Rock road from Ducker Mill road to Bridge in Forbes' lane; Eugene Morrison, Jr., Clarksville & Tobacco road from Pembroke to Radford's Spring; Tom Garrett, Stegar Mill road from Salem church to Clarksville pike.

The following additional overseers were named yesterday: Frank Lacy, Longview and Casky road; Herbert Dillman, Longview and Casky road from the Clarksville pike and Pembroke road to the Casky road, and W. B. Yancey, Nashville road from W. B. Yancey's to the Nashville pike.

JOHN DAVIS GIVES BOND.

Postmaster Baker, of Louisville, One of His Sureties.

Frankfort, Ky., March 30.—John Davis was released from the county jail at 2:30 o'clock under bond of \$5,000. His bondsmen are Postmaster T. H. Baker, of Louisville; L. J. Crawford, of Newport and Lucas Moore, of Lebanon.

DEMOCRATS MAY WIN.

Little Rhody Stirred Up On Imperialism and Trusts.

Providence, R. I., April 2.—The campaign in Rhode Island has practically closed for the state election to-morrow. The Democrats made an aggressive fight and will likely win, but at the start the Democrats made no legislative nominations in seven towns where now they seem to have a chance. The fight has been against imperialism and trusts, especially against the Porto Rican tariff.

Senator Bell Better.

The Morganfield Sun reports the condition of Senator John A. Bell as somewhat improved and his family are now hopeful of his recovery.

PREPARE for the turn of life. It is a critical period. As indications of the change appear be sure your physical condition is good. The experience is a wonderful one and under some circumstances full of menace. Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., will give you her advice without charge.

TALKS WITH WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

She has done so much for women, surely you can trust her. Read this letter from Mrs. M. C. GRIF-FING, of Georgeville, Mo.:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—The doctor called my trouble ulceration of womb and change of life. I was troubled with profuse flow-

ing and became very weak. When I wrote to you I was down in bed, had not sat up for six months; was under a doctor's treatment all the time, but it did me no good. I had almost given up in despair, but your Vegetable Compound has made me feel like a new woman. I cannot thank you enough. I would advise any woman who is afflicted as I have been to write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., and get her advice and be cured as I have been."

Mrs. F. H. ALLEN, 419 Nebraska Ave., Toledo, Ohio, writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Change of life was working on me. My kidneys and bladder were affected. I had been confined to the house all summer, not able to stand on my feet for any length of time. Terrible pains when urinating and an itching that nearly drove me wild. I had tried many remedies. I told my husband I had great faith in yours and he got me a bottle; am now on my fourth bottle. I feel that I am entirely cured. I can work all day. I can hardly realize that such a wonderful cure is possible. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best medicine for women."

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